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Title: Portable Percutaneous Assemblies, Systems, and Methods for Providing Highly Selective Functional or Therapeutic Neuromuscular Stimulation

**AMENDMENT A**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This Amendment A responds to the Office Action mailed 11/15/2005.

An automatic three month extension of time, up to and including 5/15/2006 is respectfully requested. The requisite fee accompanies this Amendment.

**The Examiner's attention is directed to the Information Disclosure Statement that accompanies this amendment.**

In response to the Office Action dated 11/15/2005, please amend the above referenced application as follows:

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